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SUBJECT: MEETING WITH POLISH FOREIGN MINISTER  
EUROPEAN SECURITY CONFERENCE

1. DURING OUR FORTY- MINUTE MEETING MAY 21, POLISH  
FOREIGN MINISTER OLSZOWSKI SPOKE FAVORABLY ABOUT THE  
DEVELOPMENT OF US- POLISH BILATERAL RELATIONS AND  
EXPRESSED STRONG SUPPORT FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF " NEW  
FORMS OF COOPERATION" WHICH HE HOPED WOULD EMERGE FROM  
THE FORTHCOMING MEETING BETWEEN THE PRESIDENT AND  
SECRETARY GENERAL BREZHNEV.

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2. HE THEN TURNED SPECIFICALLY TO CSCE, SAYING THAT HE WOULD LIKE TO MAKE A SUGGESTION WHICH THE POLES HAD NOT DISCUSSED WITH ANYONE ELSE.

3. WOULD IT NOT BE GOOD, HE ASKED, IF, DURING THE THIRD PHASE OF THE CSCE, WHEN THE MEETING AT THE SUMMIT TAKES PLACE, THE PRESIDENT AND BREZHNEV WERE TO MAKE BROAD STATEMENTS CONCERNING THE PHILOSOPHY WHICH SHOULD GOVERN THE DEVELOPMENT OF RELATIONS IN EUROPE FOR SEVERAL YEARS AHEAD? A CERTAIN APPROACH MUST BE OUTLINED BY THE TWO BIG POWERS, WHICH HAVE BOTH THE DUTY AND THE BASIC RESPONSIBILITY OF MAINTAINING THE PEACE. SUCH STATEMENTS COULD GIVE THE TONE TO THE SUMMIT MEETING AND SET THE PARAMETERS WITHIN WHICH THE SUBSEQUENT DISCUSSION COULD TAKE PLACE.

4. OLSZOWSKI STRESSED AGAIN THAT THE POLES HAD NOT YET DISCUSSED THIS PROPOSAL WITH ANYONE ELSE AND ADDED THAT, IF THE US REACTED POSITIVELY, THEY WOULD THEN BROACH IT TO THE SOVIETS AND SUPPORT ITS ADOPTION BY THEM.

5. I SAID I WOULD REPORT THIS PROPOSAL TO MY GOVERNMENT AND LET THE FOREIGN MINISTER KNOW IF THERE WERE ANY REACTION.

6. COMMENT: IN VIEW OF THE BREZHNEV VISIT HERE MAY 11-12, I FIND IT IMPOSSIBLE TO BELIEVE THAT THIS IS A STRICTLY POLISH IDEA. END COMMENT.  
DAVIES

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